FIFTY-NINTH YEAR

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 22 1909 SALT LAKE CITY UTAH

LEOPOLD'S FUNERAL **VERY CEREMONIOUS**

This Despite Deal King's Expressed Wish That Obsequies Should be of Simplest.

BODY PLACED IN ROYAL VAULT

Near it Rest the Remains of Queen Marie Henrietta, Princess Josephine And Duke of Brabant.

Brussels, Dec. 22.—The body of Les-pold II, king of the Belgians, was placed today in the royal burial vault in the Church of St. Mary at Lacken, the suburban residence of the royal amily. Near it rest the remains of his ucen, Marie Henriette, the Princess phine, and the young duke of Bra-

The funeral and burial were conduct ed with all the pomp and ceremony of which the state was capable despite the wish expressed by the monarch in his will, that the obsequies should be of

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A holiday had been proclaimed and thousands of persons filled the streets during the services. Early in the day the body was taken from the royal palace to the cathedral of St. Michel and Ste Guadele where impressive funeral rites were held. From the church the cortege moved to Laeken where represe the bones of Leopold's immediate family whom he had survived.

A torrential rain accompanied by a driving wind ushered in the day, but set the cortege left the royal palace and moved to the cathedral the downpour ceased.

STEEL TRUST BONUS OF TWO MILLIONS

New York, Dec. 22—More than \$2,000,000 sill be distributed by the United States steel corporations as a bonus to its of-leers and employes, 60 per cent of spitch will be in cash, according to the Michal announcement of Chairman Gary

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The bonus was first announced as 1,000,000, but Chairman Gary corrected his in his official announcement today n which he said:

"The amount is determined as usual stream and earnings. The sum distributed for 1909 amounts to a little over 2,000,000. This will be paid 60 per cent n cash and 40 per cent in preferred tock, at 124, or common stock at 20, in coordance with the wishes of the repipients, so far as is practicable and onvenient. Also the usual opportunity while the given to subscribe for 25,000 theres of the preferred stock of the conparation at 124 under the usual conditions."

AUSTRIAN HISTORIAN **DECEIVED BY FORGERIES**

Vienna, Dec. 22.—The evidence presented at the trial of Dr. Friedjung, the historian, charged with libelling several deputies of the Croation diet and Hungarian parliament, tends to show that the defendant was misled by forged documents. Efforts are being made to arrange a settlement out of court, but Dr. Friedjung has declined to accept the plaintiff's conditions, or withdraw his accusations.

WANT STREET CARS WARMED.

New York, Dec. 22.—The general man-ger of the Interborough Rapid Transit ompany was summoned to a confer-nce with the New York Public service commission yesterday on the advisability of having his cars better heated after entering the commission's office, the transit man turned up his collar and shivered.

"Are you cold?" asked one of the commissioners.

commissioners.
"If I kept my cars as cold as you keep
this office," he replied, "you'd have me
up on an order in a minute."
The steam heat was turned on and
the conference proceeded.

HOOKWORM INVADES CITY OF NEW YORK

New York, Dec. 22.—Three New York doctors who have been studying the hookworm disease for several months, have gathered evidence to show that New York City has a large and increasing number of cases. Through the New York academy or medicine, they have announced their conclusion that the hookworm is getting into New York through the employment of foreign labor and southern negroes. Several cases, they say have come under their cases, they say have come under their observation in New York hospitals, in which the disease was particularly violent, resulting fatally in a few weeks.

THIRTEEN STEAMERS WILL SAIL FRIDAY

New York, Dec. 22.—Superstitious sailors will find cause for comment in the fact that 13 ocean steamships are scheduled to sail from New York on Friday. Friday is usually a slim sailing day, as many persons still regard it as an unlucky day to leave port. But because next Saturday is Christmas day, most of the regular Saturday boats will leave Friday morning, making the largest number of sailings for the day on record.

HOW ARGENTINA DEALS WITH ANARCHISTS

New York, Dec. 22.—Argentina's summary method of dealing with anarchists was described today by a party of Americans who have just returned from the South American republic. Four thousand persons suspected of being anarchist sympathizers, were exiled within a period of a few days, following the assassination on Nov. 14 of Col. Falcon, chief of police of Buenos Ayres. Four hundred of the more violent agitators were sent to spend colonies in Patagonia and ordered to live there according to their own ideas of what a government should be.

SANTA CLARA COLLEGE. SAN JOSE, BURNED

San Jose, Cal., Dec. 22.—Fire which started in a room occupied by Father-Victor White, vice prefect of discipline and instructor of Latin, shortly after 1 o'clock this morning consumed properly at the Santa Clara college, three

miles from here, roughly estimated at \$100,000. The entire south wing, occupied by the scholastic clergy burned.
The destroyed wing contained three valuable reference libraries, used by the fathers, teachers and students. Among the books were historical records written by the early Jesult fathers. The largest collection of sacred relics on the coast, also in this building, was a total loss.
The students were away on vacation. The college is one of the pioneer institutions of this coast. A portion of the burning building was erected in 1818.

BOSTON MAYORALTY MEETING BROKEN UP

Boston, Dec. 22.—Congressman John A. Keilher was one of several speakers who were hissed and denied a hearing at a political raily last night in the interest of James J. Storrow, a mayoralty candidate, and, although a detail of police was called in and the uproar was partly quelled, the meeting was cut short. It was the first disturbance of the kind in the present campaign. The supporters of one of the opposing candidates, former Mayor Fitzgerald.

DOWAGER DUCHESS OF MANCHESTER'S FORTUNE

Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 22.—Much local Interest was aroused by the cable dispatch regarding the will of the Dowager Duchess of Manchester. It is learned here that the dowager duchess in her last will and testament, just probated, left her entire estate to the chlidren of the Duke of Manchester and Helena, his wife, formerly Helena Zimmerman of Cincinnati. The estate is estimated at between \$5,000,000 and \$5,000,000. Two-thirds of the estate go to the oldest son, Viscount Mandeville, when he becomes the tenth duke of Manchester. In the event of his death before he becomes such, the two-thirds go to the second son, Lord Eugene Fernando Montague. Viscount Mandeville, upon becoming the tenth duke of Manchester will get, in addition, Tandagree castle and all of the property on the west coast of Ireland and corsiderable town property belonging to the Manchester estate. He will also get Kimbolton castle and Bramton castle, these last two places covering about Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 22.-Much loca

get Kimbolton castle and Bramton castle, these last two places covering about 25,000 acres, within 50 miles of London. Kimbolton castle is the historic castle of the family.

The Duke and Duchess of Manchester get the income of the estate as long as they live and a town house in London. The other third of the estate is left in trust for the three remaining children of the Duke and Duchess of Manchester.

IDENTIFIED WRONG MAN AS HOLD UP

San Francisco, Dec. 22.—The efforts of the police to fasten the identity of the San Francisco "drug store" bandit upon a dead man, formerly a member of the police department, apparently met with failure yesterday.

Although the victim of two hold-ups said that the body of Walter R. Carroll, now in a morgue at San Jose, where carroll committed suicide last Friday, bore a strong resemblance to that of the robber, detectives established an alibi for Carroll that looked strong. It was discovered that at the time of the series of hold-ups Carroll was working on a ranch 80 miles from San Francisco.

EXPENDITURE ON WARSHIPS UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Washington. Dec. 22.—Exactly \$42,-430,475 will be spent on vessels of the navy now under construction during the fiscal years 1910 to 1913, inclusive, under the estimates submitted to Congress by the navy department. Of this amount \$30,732,563 will be for hulls and \$11,637,913 for machinery. The total amount during the current fiscal year is estimated at \$24,520,755, for 1911 it totals \$13,375,220, for 1912 and 1913 it aggregates \$4,534,501.

A SAD SUICIDE.

Mother Kills Herself Because She Had

No Presents for Children.

Philadelphia, Dec. 22—Rather than face her six children Christmas morning without presents or the money to buy them, Mrs. Sarah Ennis of this city last night went into her kitchen, turned on the gas and ended her life.

NEWS OF ESTRADA'S VICTORY IS CONFIRMED

Washington, Dec. 22.—Confirmation of Associated Press dispatches from Nicaragua was received today at the navy department in a cablegram from Capt. Shipley of the Des Moines now at Blue-nelds, dated 3 o'clock this morning. The additional information is given in the navy department's advices, that Gen. Castrillo, four pieces of field artillery, 1,500 rifes and 1,000,000 rounds of ammunition were included in the surrender. The wounded have been carried to Bluefields where the hospital facilities are inadequate. Capt. Shipley says he has established a hospital on shore, employing surgeons, assistants and hospital supplies from the Des Moines and the Tacoma.

No force has been landed from the American warships, Capt. Shipley says, Zelaya's loss in killed, wounded and captured, the captain reports, is about 2,600.

ITALIAN NAVAL LEAGUE

REMEMBERS CROWNINSHIELD Naples, Dec. 22.—The Italian Naval league will present to American Con-sul Crowninshield on Dec. 28, the anni-versary of the great earthquake in southern Italy, several bronze tablets commemorative of the disaster and the assistance rendered the sufferers by

America.

The tablets are intended for the United States vessels, the crews of which aided in the work of rescue and the restoration of homes in Messina and Reggio. The tablets were provided by a fund collected throughout Italy and in the Italian colonies in foreign cities, particularly New York. Similar tablets will be presented to other foreign ships that took part in the work of succor.

PREPARING FOR MOUNT McKINLEY EXPEDITION

Fairbanks, Alaska, Dec. 22.—The expedition that was organized several months ago at the height of the Cook-Peary north pole controversy, to ascend Mount McKinley and disprove or verify the doctor's story that he reached the summit, set out from Fairbanks today with dog teams and supplies to establish a base at the foot of the mountain, to be ready to make a dash for the summit in Mayeh at the first break in the winter. The party is composed of Thomas Lloyd, William Taylor, Charles McGonigle, Peter Anderson, Robert Horn and Charles Davidson, all hardy Alaska pioneers and familiar with the mountain. They will forfeit \$5,000 if none of the party reaches the summit.

THREE POLITICAL **ASSASSINATIONS**

Col. Karpoff, Chief of St. Petersburg Secret Police, Blown to Atoms by Bomb Explosion.

EAST INDIAN JUDGE KILLED

Korean Premier Fatally Stabbed-Prime Minister of Roumania Shot by Anarchist.

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arated points. In Seoul, Korea, the prime minister of the Korean cabinet was stabbed to death as an apparent result of the in-tense feeling in Korea against Japanese

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In St. Petersburg the chief of the secret police, Col. Karpoff, was blown to pieces by the explosion of a bomb, supposedly thrown by an anarchist.

At Bombay, British India, the chief magistrate of Nasik, Arthur M. T. Jackson, was assassinated by a native, for revenge and presumably as a part of the seditious movement against their official authority.

In each of the countries the governing authority is menaced by a dangerous element directed against the existing regime.

CHIEF OF ST. PETERSBURG SECRET POLICE MURDERED

Petersburg, Dec. 22.-Col. Karpoff, St. Petersburg, Dec. 22.—Col. Karpott, chief of the secret police of St Petersburg, was assassinated early today. He had been enticed to a modest apartment in a remote street of the Viborg district and there was blown to pieces by a bomb exploded, supposedly by his host, one Michael Vosskrossensky, who had leased the rooms a few days before.

Injured.

Karpoff was appointed from Baku, where he had been chief of the secret police. There have been several convictions of bomb-makers recently.

The assassination of Chief Karpoff undoubtedly was in furtherance of the plot against the secret police which grew out of the revelation last January of some remarkable scandals in connection with the operations of the system. The Russian revolutionary Socialists discovered that some of their members were agents of the secret police. Exposures, charges of disloyalty to the revolutionary cause and counter charges followed. Since then the secret police have been the special objects of revolutionary hatred and assassinations.

NATIVE ASSASSINATES CHIEF MAGISTRATE JACKSON

Bombay, British India, Dec. 22.—Arthur Mason Tippetts Jackson, chief magistrate of Nasik, in the presidency of Bombay, was assassinated by a native while attending a theatrical performance last night.

The motive for the murder is supposed to have been a wish for revenge upon the magistrate who had recently sentenced a criminal to life imprisonment.

Nasik is a hotbed of sedition. Jackson ad been in the British Indian service

Whatever may have been the immediate motive for the assassination of Chief Magistrate Jackson, the outrage cannot fail to increase the ever-present fear of an uprising against British rule

fear of an uprising against British rule in India.

Attempts have been made in India against the lives of Lord Minto, Lord Kitchner, Sir Andrew Fraser, the lieutenant governor of Bengal, and many other British officias. On July 1, last Sir William Hutt Curzon Wylle, who had recently held important Indian appointments, was murdered at the Imperial institute in London by an Indian student, who subsequently was hanged. Dr. Cares Laleaca, a physician of Shanghal, who was visiting in London, also was killed during the fusilade of shots, though his death may not have been intended.

ROUMANIAN PRIME MINISTER IS SHOT

Washington, Dec. 22.—An official dis-patch was received this morning from Bucharest to the effect that the prime minister of Roumania had been shot and seriously wounded by a Rouman-lan anarchist.

PRIME MINISTER OF KOREA FATALLY STABBED

Seoul, Korea, Dec. 22—Premier Yi. the head of the Korean cabinet, was stabbed and fatally wounded today by a Korean, Yie Chaim Yog.
The attack occurred at 10 o'clock this morning. The assallant, a young Christian, for many years lived in the United States. The premier was riding in his jinrickashaw when the assassim came up with a long kitchen knife in his hand. He drove this twice into the abdomen of the premier and once into his lung.
The assassin then turned on the premier's jinrickshaw man, whom he stabbed and instantly killed. The assassin was immediately arrested. He is 20 years old and is believed to be a member of a political secret society.

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Premier YI was formerly minister of education in the Korean cabinet. He became prime minister in May, 1907, when a reconstruction of the cabinet followed a five-hour audience with Marquis Ito, held with the emperor. Yi was regarded as a firm and competent officer, but his efforts to carry out the policy of the new administration met with continual opposition from his political adversaries.

MOST COSTLY CHRISTMAS PRESENT IN WORLD

Philadelphia. Pa., Dec. 22.—Probably the most costly and beautiful Christmas gift that any womah in the world will receive this year will be a rope of magnificent pearls, said to have cost \$750.000, which George Widener will present to his wife, who was Miss Eleanor Elkins, daughter of the late William Lelkins, the traction magnate. It is the most costly string of pearls in the world.

It is said that Mr. Widener intended the gems, some of which are nearly as large as pigeon eggs, as a surprise for his wife, but news of the gift leaked out

THE NEW HOSTELRIE To be Named THE "HOTEL UTAH."

A meeting of the board of di rectors of the Utah Hotel Co. was held yesterday, most of the board being present. The sessions are called from time to time to pass on the work of the contractors and to inspect the progress of the building. Yesterday's session, however, was almost entirely devoted to the ques-tion of giving the hotel an official name, as no decision had yet been arrived at. Many suggestions have been received from time to time and several names were laid before the board yesterday, but after full discussion it was decided the official name of the imposing structure should be the "Hotel Utah, and as such it will be designated

PLANS FOR PLANT **NEARLY COMPLETE**

Power Station to be Built by Church Nearly Ready for Contractors' Bids.

IS OF MOST MODERN DESIGN

Engineers Have Preliminary Plans Well Advanced and Almost Ready To Submit to Authorities.

The modern heating and lighting plant, which is to be built by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints to take care of the numerou Saints to take care of the numerous buildings owned by the Church on and around the Temple block, will be an accomplished fact next summer, according to plans, which are now being formulated by Gray and Grosh, coasulting engineers of this city. Thereport to the committee in charge will be submitted shortly with specifications for the work, after which bids will be called for. This is expected to take place early in January, and the work will, in all probability be pushed to completion, to have everything in readiness next fall.

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The system is a most elaborate one and the plan will be strictly up-to-date. The entire system will cost between \$150,000 and \$200,000. It includes besides the erection of the plant on the vacant ground in the center of the lock immediately west of the tabernacle, formerly occupied by Silver Broaffoundry, the construction of tunnels through the Temple black and under the streets so as to connect with Temple, Tabernacle, Assembly hall, Bishop's building, L. D. S. university buildings, Deseret gymnasium, Hotel Citah, Templeton building, News building, Vermont building and Sharon buildings and the Miller apartments in North Temple. Arrangements may alcobe made to heat and light the big building which will be built on the Valley House corner at some future date. The Tunnels through which the assestos covered steam pipes and thoroughly insulated electric wires will be conveyed to the above buildings, will be built of reinforced concrete. Included in the system is a large modern refrigerating plant for the Hotel Utah. The power plant will be fitted with smoke consuming appliances by means of which, with a stack 175 feet high, the smoke difficulty is expected to be largely overcome.

INSANE ASYLUM LAND SELECTIONS APPROVED

(Special Correspondence.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—Secretary of the Interior Ballinger today approved clear list number 18 embracing 816 acres in the Salt Lake Cityland district selected by the State of Utah under provisions of section 12 of the act of July 16, 1894 granting 100,000 acres for the establishment and maintenance of an insane asylum.

Also clear list No. 33 embracing 5,050 acres in the Salt Lake City land district selected by the State of Utah as indemnity for loss of school lands.

AN INCENDIARY FIRE.

New York Dec. 22.—Sensational rescues of a semi-panic in an adjoining hospital and operations of sneak thleves in nearby buildings were features of an incendiary fire in an East Thirty-third street apartment building early today. Two men had a narrow escape from death, one being swung across an air shaft, dangling from a rope's end and another plunging through the glass of a closed window several feet away to escape the fire.

CHRISTMAS SERVICE IN THE TABERNACLE

Services will be held in the tabernacle on Christmas morning at 10:30 o'clock Appropriate addresses will be de-livered, and, in addition to organ selections by Prof. McClellan, the following solos will be rendered:

Mr. Hugh W. Dougal.

GOV. SPRY AND PARTY ARRIVE IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Dec. 22.-Gov. William Spry of Utah with his family and a party of friends, arrived here today to attend the launching of the battleship Utah, which takes place tomorrow at the yards of the New York Shipbuilding company at Camden, N. J. The party included Miss Mary A. Spry, daughter of the governor, who is to name the

FREDERICK COOK IS NOT DOWNED YET

Anthony Fiala, Arctic Explorer, Says Fiasco Will Result in Future Good.

CAPT. B. S. OSBON HAS FAITH

Secretary of Arctic Club of America Says Will be Important Developments Soon.

New York, Dec. 22.-Anthony Fiala the Arctic explorer, who has been one of Dr. Cook's warmest supporters, joined the chorus of unbelievers today

celvable. Dr. Cook made friends every-where he went and his friends stood by him as long as they could. It is dis-tressing to think that such an end should come to his career.

"There is one thing that this will do. It will make it necessary in the future for explorers to be extremely careful in their work. An explorer, who wishes to be believed will do well to follow Peary's example and have skill-ed men as the heads of supporting

parties.

"There is no question of Peary's having gone to the pole. His expedition was scientifically worked out and its results show that Peary knew what he was doing.

"The Cook fiasco will eventually result in great good to the cause of exploration. It will put an end to clabrap and theatried performances and will set the business of exploration on a firm, scientific basis."

CAPT. OSBON HAS FAITH.

Capt. B. S. Osbon, secretary of the Arctic Club of America, who has been spokesman for the Cook partisans, is not yet convinced.

"This argument is not yet over," he says. "There are going to be more important developments very soon. I am not at liberty to say what these are, but they have to do with the whole Cook controversy and will make some people, I think, feel mighty queer.

"You will find that Dr. Cook is not downed yet. He is preparing something for his enemies now, and when he gives it out you can be sure it will be worth while."

LADIES OF DENMARK BELIEVE IN DR. COOK

BELIEVE IN DR. COOK

New York. Dec. 22—"The ladies of Denmark will never believe that Dr. Cook was wrong, and my daughter. Who is with me, will weep when she hears the report." said Dr. Maurice F. Egan, American minister to Denmark, whom the Paues now partly blame for his strong purtisanship of Dr. Cook which led them to recognize the American explorer as the discoverer of the north pole.

Dr. Egan, who reached here today on the steamship Oscar II, and will remain during the holidays, talked freely regarding his own part in the enthusiastic reception of Dr. Cook at Cook as a hero all over the civilized world.

"What I did for Dr. Cook," said the minister, "I don't believe influenced the Danes appreciably in their reception of the explorer. Cook reached Copenhagen with a story of polar conquest which there was then no reason to doubt. Danish explorers vouched for Cook's standing in the world of discov-

WHY SPEAKER CANNON LEFT FOR HIS HOME

Washington, Dec. 22.—Speaker Cannon left Washington for Danville yesterday. The only reason he could give for going home this year to spend the holidays was that the chimney in his house here is not big enough.
"You come out here for Christmas and be Santa," was part of the message the speaker received from little Helen Le Leure, one of his grandchildren, who lives in Danville. The little girl added:
"I want you because your chimney there in Washington is not big enough for Santa Claus to get down."

FINGERLESS FORGER SENTENCED TO PRISON

Chicago. Dec. 22.—Harry McCuliom, a forger who is without fitgers or thumbs, was sentenced yesterday, after being convicted of passing a worthless check. Despite his crippled hands, he is said to be able to forge signatures.

RENO THEATER BURNED.

Reno, Nev., Dec. 22.—Fire of unknown origin breaking out in the scenery of the Wheelmen theater shortly after 9 o'clock last evening consumed that building, spread to another, completely destroyed the new St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic church adjoining and threatened to ruin the Century club building. The damage is estimated at \$100,000.

FUNERAL OF T. D. PITT.

Impressive Services Held at Elks' Club House This Afternoon.

Funeral services over the body of the late Tom D. Pitt were held at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the Elks lodge. The casket, covered with beautiful floral offerings, and the room crowded with relatives and hundreds of friends, the last sad rites were said. The services were presided over by James W. Collins, exalted ruler of No, S. B. P. O. E., and the following officers were at their station: A. G. Mackenzie, esteemed leading

knight; Dr. S. Ewing, esteemed loyal knight; L. P. Kelsey, esteemed lecturing knight; P. P. Christensen, chaplain and A. W. Raybould, secretary. Exaited Ruler Collins delivered the impressive ritualistic address of the order and the eulogy was delivered by Rev. P. A. Simpkin. Rev. Simpkin pald a glowing tribute to the noble character and many sterling traits of the departed, and spoke words of comfort to the bereuved.

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The pallbearers, as announced by Mr.
Collins at noon, were as follows: Active, Arthur Osborne, J. B. Burbidge, R.
L. Shannon, J. H. Manderfield, Thomas
Homer, Robert Marsh, George W. Silks
and E. C. Penrose; honorary, W. P.
Cooper, H. Page, Frank Wheeling, H.
Aldoust, M. M. Murtaugh, Joseph Lipman, F. V. Fitzgerald and John
Schraven. The musical features were impressive and most appropriate and following the services at the Elks' home,
hundreds of friends followed the body
to Mt. Olivet cemetery, where the last
rites of the Elks' service were read and
the body consigned to its final resting
place.

THREE ARRESTED IN RAID.

Squad of Police Swoops Down on Scene Of Old Tragedy.

Tuesday night Detective Harry Curran and a squad of police raided a place at 50 west Third South street place at 50 west Third South street and arrested U. M. Ryan, James Ryan and George Howell. The police believed that one of the three would prove to be the man who robbed Young's cafe Monday night.

The men were arrested in the place once occupied by Frank Rose who foully murdered his wife on Christmas day of 1904 and left his baby boy with its mother. For his crime Rose was executed at the state prison.

The police learned this morning that the holdup man had been at the place and was associated with the three men. They are being held at the city jail pending further investigation.

PROTEST AGAINST SALTAIR FRANCHISE

Proposition to Make Temple Block Vortex of Resort Traffic Is To be Fought.

The proposition to make the temple block corner at the intersection of town depot for the Saltair beach trains by installing a third streetcar track on South Temple and North reack on South Temple and North Temple and connecting the two streets with another track on north Main street, has raised a storm of protest from residents along the proposed line, as well as from residents all over the city who are interested in having the sanctity of the Sabbath and their relig-ious services in the tabernacle undis-turbed.

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Bishop C. W. Nibley and a number of other prominent citizens and Church members have taken the matter up with a view of entering a strong protest against such a franchise being granted at the next meeting of the city council. The matter came up on Monday and was held over until next meeting, and if the earnestness with which this franchise is being opposed, counts for unything, the city fathers will hesitate in granting it.

Those moving in the matter object to the lining up of probably dozens of streetcars in the vicinity of the temple block as is often the case at the Salt Palace. In addition to this disagreeable feature it is decidedly objectionable to have the Saltair Sunday business focused there as thousands of religious worshippers from all over the city are going to worship in the tabernacle.

ELOPING COUPLE CAUGHT.

Girl and Young Man From Bingham

penhagen with a stry of polar contoused the which there was then no reason to doubt. Danish explorers vouched for Cook's standing in the world of discovery and received him not only as an American seeking civilization after harrowing experiences and needing assistance, but as a citizen who from his then undisputed story, had accomplished a great task.

"Officially I did practically nothing for Cook but to supply him with clothing and give him a small reception which newspaper men attended," continued Dr. Egan. "His presentation to the king came about as a result of the crown prince's desire to meet the explorer. At the prince's request I took Cook to the palace where he met the members of the royal family.

"It can hardly be denied that the fact that Cook was an American helped him gain immediate credit for his story, for the Danish people are great admirers of Alexandre."

Agnes Roseman, a 17-year-old girl of Elingham canyon, and her first cousin. Joseph Giesler, 25 years old, stole a march on the parents of the girl this morning and eloped to Salt Lake. The father of the girl suspected what was spine on the parents of the girl suspected what was spine on the parents of the girl suspected what was going on when he discovered his daughter's absence and 'immediately teles' absence and 'imme

A 123-pounds cinnamon bear was shot Tuesday in Big Cottonwood, and is on exhibition in front of a Main street restaurant today. As bruin was only nine months when shot, his steaks ought to be sweet and tender when sampled on Christmas day. The heavy snows in the mountains are sending wild animals nearer civilization in search of something to eat.

WARRINER PLEADS **GUILTY AND IS SENTENCED**

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 22,—Charles L. Warriner, deposed local treasurer of the Big Four railroad, pleaded guilty to embezzlement in the common pleas

WEATHER REPORT.

erally Fair Tonight and Thursday. No Change in Temperature.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES.

YESTERDAY'S RECORD.

The cold wave still prevalls throughout the mountain states with temperatures generally reported much below the seasonable points. Some few snow flurries have been reported, but the precipitation has been slight. In the Great Basin and on the coast ture. The Indications warrant nothing other than a continuance of present conditions. The coldest place in the country Tuesday was lander. Wyo, where there was a -12 registered.

CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR PAT J. MORAN

Allowed the Full Amount of His Bill by Board of Arbitrators.

ROAST FOR THE INSPECTORS

Their Reports Found to be So Incom petent as to Render Them Invalid.

Patrick J. Moran, the official conractor, was allowed the full amount of his bill, \$20,458.67, for repairing the outlet sewer pipe by the board of ar-bitrators, which filed its report this norning with J. B. Moreton, city reorder. In summing up the facts after eviewing the testimony, the arbitrators found that the inspectors' reports were so incomplete and incompetent as to render them absolutely invalid. J. J. Williams was the inspector employ on the work by the board of public works and paid \$3 a day for the express purpose of checking up the amount of materials used and the number of men and teams employed each day. In regard to the bill the arbitrators say that it was itemized and delivered to the city and "that the bill was checked by L. C. Kelsey, the city engineer, reduced about \$1,000 and then

certified to as being correct. "The prices charged by Mr. Moran," the report reads, "were not challenged and the city admits it is indebted to Mr. Moran, but disputes the correctness of the quantities charged in his bill as made up in his itemized account. The city is unable, however, from its own records to show what the correct quantities are. An effort to determine the quantities used in the work by ex-

A. F. Doremus, consulting engineer for the city; L. L. Dagron, engineer for the Utah Light & Railway company, representing Moran, and William Ashshort Line, who was chosen by the other two members, form the board of arbitrators. Moran and the city council, who did not feel disposed to take the responsibility upon its hands of settling the bill, entered into a contract to arbitrate the questions involved on Dec. 9. The board met every afternoon until Dec. 21, taking testimony in the case, and today drew upits report. Eleven witnesses were examined. They included, Mayor Bransford, City Engineer Chancy, L. C. Kelsey, formerly city engineer, H. G. McMillan, chairman of the board of public works, J. J. Williams, inspector, Frank Christensen, secretary of the board of public works, and reporters for the city. P. J. Moran, Frank Gowan, his superintendent, and Homer Reed, his purchasing agent, were examined in behalf of Moran. ton, chief engineer for the Oregon

TESTIMONY IN BRIEF.

The testimony showed, according to the report, that the contract for it'e wooden stave outlet sewer pipe was let to the Campbell Building company. After several attempts to force the let to the Campbell Building company. After several attempts to force the company to complete the work the contract was taken out of the company's hands. The pipe sprung a leak on April 20, 1909, at Sixth West under the Rio Grande tracks. The board of public works employed Moran to enclose the wooden pipe with a jacket of cement 70 feet in length. This work was completed satisfactorily on May 3, 1909. After this work was completed satisfactorily on May 3, 1909. After this work was completed work were found in the pipe and it falled to work. The board of public works refused to take the responsibility for repairing the remainder of the pipe and passed it up to the council. The council and Mayor Bransford together with the board of public works and representatives of the press inspected the pipe and decided that it would have to be repaired.

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Moran was engaged on June 14, 1909, to repair the pipe on force account, which means that he would receive 15 per cent commission above the actual expense of the labor and materials. The report does not establish who was responsible for employing Moran to do the work, and none of the city officials will say that they had anything to do with it.

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The report states that Moran repaired all the leaks, and that he encased the pipe in a concrete Jacket 1.294 feet in length. It is further stated in the report that Moran was employed because was an "experienced and successful contractor." The money will probably be pald to Moran on Thursday night as a Christmas present when the council meets Thursday night to hear the report.

GRAND THEATER DARK

Stock Company Walks Out and House Is Temporarily Closed.

A difference over financial matter. caused the members of the stock com-Grand theater to refuse to go on with the evening presentation Tuesday night of "Kathleen Mayourneen."

night of "Kathleen Mavourneen, which was billed for the week and a large audience was dismissed. It was requested of the management that sataries be guaranteed until the first of the year and this was refused. Today the difficulties were adjusted and the theater will reopen for a Christmas matinee and night periori, ance of the same play which was iterrupted Tuesday night. Next westile same company will appear in a new bill, playing throughout the week with the usual matinees.

Pelton and Smutzer, lessees of the theater, announced today that opening. Jan. 9, the Zinn Travesty company, a musical comedy aggregation, familiate to the local theater-goers through a six months' engagement several years ago, would hold down the boards for an indefinite period. Negotiations are now en for another company to fill up the vacant week beginning Jan. 2. Willard Mack and several members of the present company go to the Bnugalow on Jan. 2, opening with "Polly Primrose."

Neither Mr. Mack nor Mr. Pelton cared to say anything in regard to the walkout at the Grand Tuesday night. They maintained that the financial troubles had been adjusted, and that the incident was closed. Members of the company said that it was simply a matter of getting their money or not working